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ON BEHALF OF HQDA WASHINGTON DC//DAMO-TR//

SUBJECT: OFFICER AND NON COMMISSIONED OFFICER PROFESSIONAL MILITARY  
EDUCATION (PME) BACKLOG DEFINITIONS (U)

1. (U) REFERENCE: AR 350-1, ARMY TRAINING AND LEADER DEVELOPMENT, 18  
DEC 09.

2. THIS MESSAGE ANNOUNCES PME BACKLOG DEFINITIONS FOR OFFICER AND NON  
COMMISSIONED OFFICER EDUCATION. THESE DEFINITIONS PROVIDE THE ARMY A  
WAY TO CLEARLY DEFINE BACKLOG FOR ALL THREE COHORTS AND FURTHER  
MANDATES THAT PME ATTENDANCE OCCURS IN A TIMELY MANNER AND PRIOR TO  
ASSUMING POSITIONS REQUIRING APPROPRIATE LEVELS OF PME. CODIFYING  
CLEAR DEFINITIONS OF PME WILL ENABLE THE PERSONNEL SYSTEM TO ALIGN AND  
MEET OPERATING FORCE REQUIREMENTS. EFFECTIVE DATE IS RELEASE OF THIS  
MESSAGE. EXPIRATION DATE IS 31 DECEMBER 2012.

3. ARMY INSTITUTIONAL TRAINING AND EDUCATION SYSTEM:

A. INTERMEDIATE LEVEL EDUCATION (ILE). THE ILE ACTIVE COMPONENT (AC)  
BACKLOG INCLUDES ALL AC MAJORS WITH THREE YEARS TIME IN GRADE WHO HAVE  
NOT COMPLETED ILE. THE RESERVE COMPONENT (RC) BACKLOG INCLUDES ALL RC  
MAJORS WITH FIVE YEARS TIME IN GRADE WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED ILE.

B. CAPTAINS CAREER COURSES (CCC). THE CCC AC BACKLOG INCLUDES ALL AC  
CAPTAINS WITH TWO YEARS TIME IN GRADE WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED CCC. THE  
RC CCC BACKLOG INCLUDES ALL RC CAPTAINS WITH FOUR YEARS TIME IN GRADE  
WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED CCC.

C. WARRANT OFFICER ADVANCED COURSE (WOAC). ALL AC AND RC WARRANT  
OFFICERS WILL COMPLETE WOAC PRIOR TO PROMOTION TO CW3. THE WOAC AC  
BACKLOG INCLUDES ALL AC CW3s WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED WOAC. THE WOAC RC  
BACKLOG INCLUDES ALL RC CW2s ELIGIBLE FOR PROMOTION AND CW3s WHO HAVE  
NOT COMPLETED WOAC.

D. WARRANT OFFICER STAFF COURSE (WOSC). ALL AC AND RC WARRANT OFFICERS  
WILL COMPLETE WOSC PRIOR TO PROMOTION TO CW4. THE WOSC AC BACKLOG  
INCLUDES ALL AC CW4s WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED WOSC. THE WOSC RC BACKLOG  
INCLUDES ALL RC CW3s ELIGIBLE FOR PROMOTION AND CW4's WHO HAVE NOT  
COMPLETED WOSC.

E. WARRANT OFFICER SENIOR STAFF COURSE (WOSSC). ALL AC AND RC WARRANT OFFICERS WILL COMPLETE WOSSC PRIOR TO PROMOTION TO CW5. THE WOSSC AC BACKLOG INCLUDES ALL AC CW5s WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED WOSSC. THE WOSSC RC BACKLOG INCLUDES ALL RC CW4s ELIGIBLE FOR PROMOTION AND CW5s WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED WOSSC.

F. NCO BACKLOG IS DEFINED AS SOLDIERS PROMOTED WITHOUT COMPLETING THE TRAINING/NCOES COURSE REQUIRED FOR THEIR GRADE LEVEL.

G. WARRIOR LEADER COURSE (WLC). THE WLC BACKLOG INCLUDES THOSE SERGEANTS WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED WLC.

H. ADVANCED LEADERS COURSE (ALC). THE ALC BACKLOG INCLUDES THOSE STAFF SERGEANTS WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED ALC (MINUS NCOs APPROVED FOR RETIREMENT).

I. SENIOR LEADERS COURSE (SLC). THE SLC BACKLOG INCLUDES THOSE SFCs WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED SLC (MINUS NCOs APPROVED FOR RETIREMENT).

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5. EXPIRATION DATE CANNOT BE DETERMINED.